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1. THE EMBASSY IS REQUESTED TO DELIVER THE FOLLOWING MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT TO PRESIDENT GEISEL.

BEGIN TEXT: DEAR MR. PRESIDENT: IN OUR PREVIOUS CORRESPONDENCE, WE AGREED THAT THE PERIOD FROM MARCH 22 TO APRIL 2 WOULD BE CONVENIENT FOR MY VISIT TO BRAZIL. WE HAVE FOUND THAT THE DATES OF MARCH 29 TO MARCH 31 ARE MUTUALLY ACCEPTABLE, AND ROSALYNN AND I LOOK FORWARD WITH PLEASURE TO SEEING YOU AND MRS. GEISEL AT THAT TIME.

I AM EXTREMELY HAPPY THAT MY LONG-AWAITED TRIP TO BRAZIL IS ABOUT TO TAKE PLACE AND THAT, IN ADDITION TO SEEING AGAIN YOUR MODERN CAPITAL OF BRASILIA, I WILL HAVE THE OPPORTUNITY TO EXPERIENCE THE VIBRANCE OF RIO, YOUR "CIDADE CONFIDENTIAL

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MARAVILHOSA". I GREATLY APPRECIATE YOUR UNDERSTANDING OF MY HAVING TO POSTPONE MY EARLIER TRIP, AND I LOOK FORWARD TO OUR DISCUSSIONS OF THOSE ISSUES IN WHICH WE SHARE A COMMON INTEREST. SINCERELY, JIMMY CARTER. END TEXT. VANCE

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